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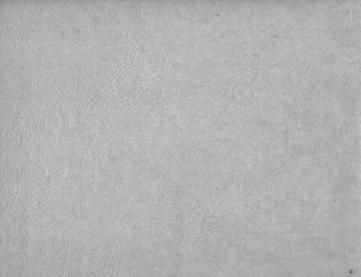


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Moose Jaw is the third largest city in Saskasichewan and has a population of 20,800. Of its population 78,9% is of British recisil origin. It was incorporated as a town on February 13, 1884, and raised to the status of a city Royember 20, 1895. Elevation above sea level, 1,778 feet to 1,340 feet. It is 375 miles by nir from Calgary in the east.

The City's area is 9,760 acres, of which 5,527 acres are agriculturel, 1,977 acres suburban and the built up area 2,256 acres.







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just been completely medernized.

The city has twelve packs with an area of 196 seres. There are two hospitals, a public library, one radio station, CHAB; one daily newspaper, The Times-Herald; and six charlered banks. The Airport and Customs Harbor, 251 seres in retent, elevation 1,840 feet above sea level, is one of the finest natural flying fields.

The meun winter temperature in Moose Jaw (January, February and December) is 7.3 deg. P., and the mean summer temperature (Janc to September) is 6.075 deg. F. The normal annual precipitation is 14.8 inches. The annual average bright sunablan hours per day is 6.3.

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within a radius of so make of the city inter are thirty-rive turns; municipalities, sixty-tiree towns and villages, and two cities, with a total population of 189,244.

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Message From the Lieutenant Governor

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MR. L. F. McDonald, Crand Exalted Ruler; Officers and Grand Lodge Delegates of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

DEAR SIR:

IT is my pleasure to welcome to our Province of Saskatchewan delegates to the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks Convention from all parts of Canada, from the Atlantic to the Pacific

Those of you who came from our far Eastern Provinces and the Pacific Coast are, penhaps, not familiar with the many problems which we in Sakathetown, or in fact in the three Prairie Provinces, have had to contend. This last tun years we have had to wage a continuous battle against the rawages of clouds, highest of grantshoppen, and eventualist crop or provinces and the provinces of the provinces of the provinces of the provinces of the and I am happy to say that we now seem to be on the highward to better times once more. Last year there was a decided improvement in conditions in the West, and we are looking

for still greater improvement from now on.

To have been selected for this Grand Lodge Convention should be considered an

honour for the Province of Saskatchewan, and it is my hope that your stay here will be enjoyable and one to be remembered. I trust I will have the pleasure of meeting old friends and associates who are members of your organization.

I trust your activities and endeavours will meet with every success in the future as has

undoubtedly been the case in past years. Please accept my personal best wishes for a very successful Convention.

Yours sincerely.

A. P. McNab,

Lieutenant Governor

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TO THE ELKS OF CANADA:

I HAVE much pleasure in extending to all the Elks of Canada a cordial invitation to attend the 28th Annual Grand Lodge Convention to be held in Moose Jaw, "The Friendly City," on the 17th, 18th and 19th days of July, 1940.

The get-together convention spirit will do much to maintain morale on the home front during these dark war days.

I hope as many as possible will attend and can assure you that Moose law will do its

utmost to see that your sojourn is enjoyable and that you leave wanting to return.

Yours faithfully.

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It is a keen pleasure to extend my most sincere fraternal greetings to all attending the

Conventions, that to issue a hearty versione to the 20th sension of United Lodge.

The 1940 sension will field with problems and policies more fair-reaching and of greater majoritance than ever before. Our country is it was, and on each of its rests a great respondability in planning the work of the Order for the coming year. As a unit in to the greatest possible extent. My condidence is the Order and in its members is stronger and desem that per before, and I pole to the 1940 Convention to make a small contribution on the problems of the Order and the Ord

to Canada's effort.

Allow me here to extend to all my heartfelt thanks for the unfailing co-operation and consideration that has at all tunes been extended to me during my term of office.

Fraternally yours, L. F. McDonald,

Grand Exalted Ruler

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Message of the Grand Secretary-Treasurer

BROTHER ELKS:

BY a strange coincidence the Third Annual Convention of our Grand Lodge was opened in Moose Jaw September Oth, 1914, closely following the outbreak of hostilities in the First World War. We now find ourselves again meeting at Moose Jaw in the early charge of the Second World World.

We are thankful, however, that Elkdom is more firmly entrenched at this time than it was in 1914, and a sount of optimism is apparent among its members.

I am glad to report that our Order has made very satisfactory progress this year and

everyming possis to a continuation of its forward instruction the fundamental file insured.

It has always been a source of pleasure to me to have the opportunity at our Annual Convention of personally meeting my Brother Elks, and I am looking forward again to seeing you all, and to making many new and cherished friendships.

With every good wish, I am.

Sincerely and fraternally yours,

ROYAL BURRITT, Grand Secretary-Treasurer

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GRAND LODGE CONVENTION PROGRAMME

900 a.m.	Grand Lodge Executive meets.	9.30 a.m.	Reconvene Grand Lodge.
Noon.	Luncheon-Grand Lodge Officers and Local	12 (noon)	Adjournment
	Officers, Elks' Home.	12.30 p.m.	District Deputies' Meeting and Luncheon, Elks
Evening.	Lock Antlers and Smoker, Elks' Home.		Home.
			Delegates' Luncheon in Elks' Home.
	WEDNESDAY, JULY 17th		Reconvene Grand Lodge.
0.00	Posterior of Control	5.00 p.m.	Adjournment.

5.15 p.m. Official Photograph in grounds of Elks' Home. Cradantiala 6.30 p.m. Ball game. 10.00 a.m. Official Welcome by Lieut. Gov. A. P. McNab, Mayor Corman and President of Board of

Trade 11.00 a.m. Opening Ceremony, Officers Moose law Lodge

11.15 a.m. Grand Lodge convenes 12 (noon) Adjournment

Grand Exulted Ruler

12.30 p.m. Luncheon in Elks' Home. 2.00 p.m. Motor Tour to Wild Animal Park, River Park.

Buffalo Lake-Picture 7 00 p.m. Grand Parade to Cenotaph -Smoker Elks' Home 7.00 p.m. Grand Banquet.

-Dance, Aquatic Club.

9.00 n.m. Natatorum—Aquatic Duplay and Dance Duplay. Swim in the bring 1,000 miles from the sea. FRIDAY, JULY 19th

9.30 a.m. Reconvene Grand Lodge. 12 (noon) Adjournment 12.30 p.m. Luncheon, Elks' Home.

130 p.m. Reconvene Grand Lodge 5 00 n.m. Closing Ceremony by Officers Moose law Lodge

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9.00 p.m. Grand Ball, Tempie Gardens. (In addition to the above arrangements are hemy made to entertain Lady visitors to bridges, teas, golf, car drives, include shows, etc.)

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Message of the Exalted Ruler of Moose Jaw

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS, DELEGATES AND VISITORS BROTHER ELKS.

A S Exalted Ruler of Monse Jaw Lodge No. 7, it gives me great pleasure to welcome you all to the 1940 Grand Lodge Convention.

As this is the first time for quite a number of years that the Grand Lodge has convened in Southern Suskatchevan, it is our hope that the Convention will be a success from every point of view. With this side in mind, committees have been working since early in the year and I would like, at this time, to thank, interetly, all who have in any way contributed to the spicoses that I am sure the Convention will be.

To the Grand Lodge we express the hope that your sessions will be harmonious and beneficial to the Order at large.

To the visitors we express the wish that you visit all the points of interest you can, become acquainted with our City and its critizens so that when you return to your homes you will agree that Moose Jaw is indeed the "Friendly City" and that the boys at No. 7 are indeed real houts and Brother Files.

Wishing you all a successful and enjoyable Convention, I remain,
Fraternally yours.

C. W. COOPER,

Exalted Ruler

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